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CHARITIES WOULD BUILD CLUB FOR GIRLS UNDER 16

At a special meeting of the Associated Charities held in Hall Home, yesterday afternoon, a building committee was named to supervise the raising of funds for the erection of a Girls' Club house. It was thought that the needs of the work require a build-ing three stories high, fire proof, which shall contain an assembly hall, a roof garden, a gymnasium, a reading room and quarters for the care of children and quarters for the care of children left by working mothers. An architect will be consulted who will draw plans and make an estimate of cost. Mrs. J. P. Omans, president of the association, presided. She put the need of the work vividly before the members. The committee is Mrs. J. P. Omans. Mrs. W. E. Halligan, Mrs. E. W. Downs, Dr. H. Adeline Thompson, Mrs. J. C. Curtis, Mrs. K. M. Spalding, Mrs. H. C. Fairchild, Mrs. C. E. Wilmot. H. C. Fairchild, Mrs. C. E. Wilmot Mrs. C. H. Armstrong, Mrs. E. Naraore, and Mrs. Lucien Shepard.

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SALVATION ARMY CAPTAIN IS

Washington, May 25 .- "He is a lep-

This was the declaration made last rais was the declaration made last of the question was anxiously awaitevening by Dr. Edward Ehlers, of the Royal Friedrich. Hospital of Copenhagen, the world's leading authority on leprosy, in the case of John R. Early, the Salvation Army captain, isolated by the Washington Health Derestrict Sars the New York. We be to the present said that the cutty nothing, and that it was a question as to whether the partment. Says the New York World: "I spent about half an hour with Early," said Dr. Ehlers, "but it did not take me five minutes to make up my mind. It is undoubtedly leprosy, still in its primary stage, still curable, in a sense; but virulent and highly contagious. I took a culture, of course, and when I get where I have adequate laboratory facilities I shall make an analysis and a microsconical examinaanalysis and a microscopical examina-tion, but I am absolutely certain of the

"In Norway it often happens that lepers who have contracted the disease before they are twenty live to the age of ninety. By proper baths and ban-dages Early may live to a ripe old age; indeed, he may die of something en-tirely different; but he has leprosy and should be isolated permanently.
"The conditions under which he is at present isolated should be maintained

without relaxation. He should be per-mitted to come in contact with no one. The advance of the disease should be The advance of the disease should be checked and a material improvement in Early's condition effected if he could be prevailed upon to take the medicine which the Health Department provides. Unfortunately, since last December, he has refused to believe that he has leprosy, and he has refused all medicines or other treatment.

"I did not tell Early, but I told his wife. She received the news with wife. She received the news with amazing forritude. She had not believed that her husband had the dis-

ease.
"In Scandinavian countries, where leprosy is prevalent, the laws provide that the children of lepers be removed from their homes and cared for by the State. This is a very necessary precaution."

GAME WARDEN A LIFE SAVER. Winsted, May 25 .- Warden Edwin F. Hitchcock saved the life of Lucius Joyner, a carpenter, at Highland Lake Sunday night. Joyner was out in a cance and tipped over. Being unable to swim he clung to the overturned canoe and shouted Mr. Hitchcock, name, his cottage being the only one with a light in it. He finally succeeded in attracting the warden's attention and he went to Joyner's assistance in a motor boat. Joyner had been in the water half an hour when Mr. Hitch-cock reached him and was practically

WANT ADS. CENT A WORD.

SCHOOL CHILDREN TO HAVE UNUSUAL PRIVILEGE GIVEN

They Will be Dismissed Half Hour Earlier to See Game Between City Officials and Newspaper Nine.

The committee on schools of the board of education has decided to have the schools dismissed thirty minutes early Thursday in order that the school children may accept the invitation of the City Officials and Telegram ball teams to witness the game at New-field on that day at 3 o'clock. The Waltersville school band will furnish music for the occasion.

This game is attracting much attention pot only in Pridemort but also

tion not only in Bridgeport but else-where owing to the official recognition that has been given to the event, by the board of aldermen ordering the city offices closed, and the board of education in allowing the schools to be

education in allowing the schools to be dismissed early.

Should the weather be fair, as it probably will be, Newfield Park will be crowded, and a good sum netted for the Girls' Club fund. There has been a good sale of tickets, among both men and women. It will be a double stroke to attend the game, seeing a good exhibition of baseball, and ing a good exhibition of baseball, and helping build a home for the Girls Club of Bridgeport.

PROF. SUMNER TO RETIRE FROM YALE

(Special from United Press.) New Haven, May 25 .- After a service of thirty-seven years in university classes, Professor William Graham Sumner will retire from the Yale faculty at the close of the present year according to an announcement made to-day. Professor Sumner is a native of Paterson, N. J., a member of the class of '63 and has studied both at Oxford and the University of Gottlingen. In '72 he was made Professor of Political and Social Science at Yale and from that time for a quarter of a century he stood in the front rank of American economists. For the past fifteen years he has been professor of

TWO SCHOONERS IN COLLISION

(Special from United Press.) Chatham, Mass., May 25.—Two un-known two-masted schooners were in collision off Pollock Reef siew last night and both are badly damaged. The Monomoy Life Saving crew has orchie is standing by the damaged vessels to give them help if necessary. A stiff northwest wind is blowing and it is feared that one or both of the schooners may be lost on the rocks.

WINS YALE PRIZE

(Special from United Press.) (Special from United Press.)

New Haven, May 25.—The announcement was made that the John Hubbard Curtls prize for 1909 has been awarded to H. D. Hammond of Nashville, Tenn. The subject of his essay was "The Novels of William De Morgan"

MAIN STREET WILL BE LONG TORN UP AS THINGS LOOK

Indications are that Main street between East Washington avenue and Pairfield avenue will remain torn up all summer. The Hydraulic Co., is laying a 30 inch main between the streets mentioned. Its men have torn up a strip of asphalt four feet wide understanding that permanent pave-ment was going to be laid and that the company would not have to re- quet. place the old pavement.

Director Biltz said this morning that

the water company started their work in good faith and it would not be fair to require them to lay new grouting and asphalt over the four foot ditch. He said that he had told the officials of the company to replace the dirt and roll it down with 3 or 4 inches of cracked stone on the top so that the street would remain in a passable condition until the paving question was

settled.

Chairman A. V. Hartley of the street committee said that the contract with the American Crosote Co., to furnish wood block pavement had been forwarded to the company yesterday and ON ARMY CAPTAIN IS

It contained a clause whereby the city did not have to take the paving material unless grooved rails were laid in Bridgeport.

The alderman said private parties had taken up the grooved rail proposition with the railroad and a solution of the question was anxiously awaitgrooved rails that an appeal to the railroad commission or the courts would avail the city nothing, and that it was a question as to whether the railroad would give the Main street merchants what they wanted. He was of the opinion that the wood block pavement would be laid before Fall no matter what kind of ralls were laid as he did not think the people were going to be satisfied with the big strip of asphalt missing from the Main street pavement.

SCANDAL AT HARVARD OVER EXAMINATION PAPERS

Cambridge, Mass., May 25.—A little financial transaction in a Harvard student's room yesterday concerning the sale in advance of alleged exami-nation papers, was about to be consummated when two policemen stepped from a closet and arrested F. H. Steele of Charlestown, who had offered to procure the papers.

The amount involved was \$750, which the student agreed to collect from seventy-five other students in order to obtain copies of the examination pa-pers in an economic course. Steele will be given a hearing in the local

PRICES OF FRESH MEATS TO BE ADVANCED AT ONCE

Omaha, May 25.—Prices of fresh meats are to be advanced at once, the advance to the trade by the packers being already made. The advance will not reach the consumers for several days however.

Fresh beef advanced from 2½ to 4 cents a pound, making the price now 10 cents for entire carcasses. Mutton advanced correspondingly, but fresh pork remained stationary.

According to the packers, there will be no reduction in prices until the grass fed cattle begin arriving in July. The advance is due to the high price of corn and other grain.

Dyspeplets Sugar-coated Tablest, quickly relieve Sour Stomach, dearthurn. Nausea, Wind in the Stomach. Seatchness, Sleeplessness arising from Indigestion, all discenforts of Dyspepsia. They are composed of the best digestives, carminatives and correctives, and are agreeable and economical. Put up in hree sizes, ide., 25c. and \$1. Sold by all druggists, and sent promptly by mail on receipt of price by C. I. HOOD CO., Mrg. Chemists, Lowell, Mass, If Made by Hood It's Good.

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SLAVONIC MUSIC, ART SCIENCE AND LITERATURE REPRESENTED AT BANQUET

Prof. M. I. Pupin, Noted Electrician and Inventor Speaks of Slovaks and Their Adopted Country-Orchestra Plays Slav Music--Program Designed by Famous Slav Artist.

A large percentage of the best Slavic an American flag on their way to brains in America were assembled, last night, at the Stratfield, at the convention banquet given under the auspices of the National Slavonic Society and those residents of this city who had the honor to be present were charmed by the eloquence of the men born in foreign climes who have risen to high positions in the arts, sciences, and professions. Perhaps the most vention banquet given under the aus-pices of the National Slavonic Society

There were many others who spoke There were many others who spoke and all the addresses were in the purest of English with the exception of one who spoke Slovak. Almost every state in the union was represented as the men present were mostly delegates from the rapidly growing organization of 27,000 people. The music was Slav with the exception of a few American pieces and was played by Kazamek's orchestra of New York. Several times the diners were carried almost into ecstacies by the music and most into ecstacies by the music and the orchestra was made to repeat a piece that was weirdly enchanting and contained many scores, which were low and sweet but punctuated with vigorous and inspiring strains.
The card was typically Slovak and

the picture on the cover represented a Slovak mother and child in peasant costume. It was the work of Alois V. Fabry a celebrated artist in New York and one of the guests at the ban-

President A. S. Ambrose, of the National Society was the toastmaster and was delightfully witty. In introducing Mayor Lee he said that the mayor expressed a desire to get home early but, if he (Ambrose) was drinking water like the mayor he felt that ing water like the mayor he felt that he would be able to stay until morning. He referred to Secretary of State Rogers' speech at the Armory in the afternoon saying: "The representative of the governor made a mistake this afternoon. He handed us the key of the state, but he did not tell us where the hole is. He probably found out his error and that is the reason he is not

with us to-night." Mayor Lee urged the Slovaks not to forget America and to ask the new comers of their nationality to become electors. He said: "This is the land of reedom and you tell us that you come from a place where there is not much freedom. You must always remember in casting your votes that a country under bad laws in the hands of honest people is better than good laws in the hands of dishonest people." He said it was inspiring to see so many American flags in the line of march

The mayor said that Congressman The mayor said that Congressman Hill was unable to be present and had sent His regrets. The congressman, he said, was a member of the charter revision committee of the nation and could not get away. He concluded by telling the members of the society that by the time the organization had 50,-000 members Bridgeport would be a city of 250,000 inhabitants and if they did not come to Bridgeport then the city would have a Slavonic society of

Rev. Dr. Vincent Pisek of New York is a Presbyterian minister who has watched the advancement of the Sio-vak in this country for many years. He said in part: "Many nations have a great past in which they are wont to dwell, but the greatness of the Slavonian people lies in the future. Slavonians have learned to follow that first of all commandments, to work and multiply. They came to Pennsylvania years ago to work in the mines and they came with clean hearts.

omeone to greet him, someone to direct him or someone to speak to him it is getting so that their condition is being changed. A woman told me a short time ago that the reason for the change is that they were getting to know us better in this country. Their mother tongue and he answered and circulater has won them a warm spot short time ago that the reason for the change is that they were getting to know us better in this country. Their simplicity has won them a warm spot that was one of the happlest moments in the hearts of those with whom they came in contact. I have been in stores in every state in the union. The Slovak and the Bohemian came and ask ed the Yankee store keeper for credit and always got it. The Yankee came and asked for credit and the merchant said: No, you are too smart.' The Slavonian certainly pays his way. "The Slovak is apt to go back to the other side of the ocean, but there

is a yearning for this country within his breast, and the second time here he is not in such a hurry to go back and the third time he comes back here he has a love for this land of freedom

born in foreign climes who have risen to high positions in the arts, sciences, and professions. Perhaps the most prominent of these was Professor M. I. Pupin of Columbia University who has made a big dent in the electrical world by numerous inventions including one which increases the efficiency of ocean cables. Then there was Albert Mamatej, B. S., instructor in higher mechanics at the Carnegie Institute in Pittsburg. He paid a glowing tribute to the machine tools made in Connection.

Albert Mamatej, instructor at the Carnegie Institute said: "I am glad to come to this wonderful little state of Connecticut. It is one of the original derful things that it is doing. The machinery that it builds makes music for the ears of those who toil in machine shops the world over. This little state is building machines that cannot be beaten in the whole world. I mean machine tools that are used in the construction of all the other products of the machinery world. Can you imof the machinery world. Can you imagine what the cities of this country would look like if there were no steamships, no railroads, or machinery of any kind. It is because of all this machinery that I think this state so wonderful. Through the product of its brains and skill it is doing more than its share to help the cause more than its share to help the cause of humanity."

City Clerk Edward T. Buckingham

said that his only business in the city government was to record the doings government was to record the doings of the administration of the mayor and those who made the laws. He said he was much impressed with the advancement that the Slavonian people had made in the 25 years or so they had been coming to this country and that he had been greatly impressed at the record dedication of Sokol Hall in East Bridgenort to note the enterprise East Bridgeport to note the enterprise and thrift of the rapidly growing or-ganization which had built the building and dedicated it to the moral, literary and physical development of the young people who were its members. He was sure that the Slovaks in Brdigeport had demonstrated they were a class of people that citi-zenship of any community would glad-ly welcome. The City clerk was varmly applauded.

Prof. Pupin said: "What can I say to men who are in touch with real thing while I am so much in touch with theory. What can a man who teaches say to men who practice." He said that he had met a lady who vore a pecularly shaped hat and he had asked her if she knew the kind of hat she was wearing. She said she did not and he told her that it was a Slovak hat. He also told her that if she knew as much of the Slovaks as he did she would also have a Sloval

The great electrician said: "I have great admiration for the Slovak of America, greater perhaps than for another people. For a simile take the American horse—the broncho. He is strong and enduring because of the many miles he has to travel for food and the many more miles he has to travel for water. It is the endurance that the Slovak is put to in his own country that makes him the peace loving man in this country that he is. His wandering and life in the open air has given the longing for the freedom that he finds in this country. He has been taught for centuries how to obey the law and he can easily obey just laws when he has had to obey unjua laws. Next to the love for the country which protects him and gives him freedom there is his love for his nationality. For if a man is not good in the things in which his race excels he is not good in anything else. "I have met a great many men in this country who tell me that their ancestry came here in the Mayflower

or in sixteen hundred and something. I can only tell them that I came by the Hamburg-American line—steerage. You who have been here for years are millionaires compared with the man who lands at Ellis Island even though he has much money and you have little. If the immigrant could only have someone to greet him, someone to diof my life.

home or headquarters. Now we are going to have a home. A lady whose name I cannot mention except to say that she lives in New York and pays taxes in Bridgeport is going to give shares from London. \$20,000 to this work."

he has a love for this land of freedom that is sure to keep him here the rest of his days. The reason that more went back years ago than they do now was explained by the Slovak who said that he had not lived in America, but under America. He had been a miner and had not been given an opportunity to see the country. "I have married more than 6,000 couples in this country. One man asked me the size of my fee. I told him that it was for him to say. He replied I cannot give you much, but I will make "20,000 to this work."

Others who spoke were Attorney John Menossky of Wilkesbarre, Pa., Woon,—There was little change in the market conditions during the last half of the forenoon, prices holding steady at the declines sustained earlier. Trading generally was in small volume and that tone, very dull.

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He closed with a pathetic story of how the Bohemian athletes carrying N. J., gave a splendid talk and Attor-

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Friday evenings of this week to ac-commodate those who wish to pay taxes on list of 1908, now due, and who cannot conveniently do so at another JOHN M. DONNELLY,

ney William Vokolek of McKeesport who spoke on the power of the press and of the fairness of the American press in their treatment of the Slavon-ian people.

WALL STREET TO-DAY.

(Special from United Press.) New York, May 25.—There was an absence of decided tone to the trading at the opening of the stock market to-day and in the first few minutes price changes were devided about evenly between fractional losses and the stock market of the stock marke evenly between fractional losses and gains. There was no indication of renewed activity by the larger interests, most of the business coming from the trading element on the floor with little selling by London. Erie, which was a strong feature in the late trading Monday, lost half a point on the first sales, selling at 54, 5-8 while Reading, Missouria Pacific made fractional advances. At the end of fifteen minutes vances. At the end of fifteen minutes the tone was soft with prices generally easing off from the close of yesterday "This society has endeavored to do something to help out people when they come here, but we have only had one good man who worked for \$75 a month as long as the money lasted and now he is working for nothing. They told us that our work among the immigrants was not well enough grounded—that we ought to have a home or headquarters. Now we are causing a decline of one-half a point, There was some pressure in the In-dustrials, Steel Common receding about

Gevernment bonds unchanged; other bonds steady.

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